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The famous Scotch curls were given a special hygienic car by the railway people of Canada in which to carry their "trains." And then, perhaps the police will search that car daily—to make matters as uncomfortable as possible for the visiting Scots.

Joseph Tatlic shot and kill his wife in the presence of their two daughters at Tatungouche, N.S., on Friday the 8th. Tatlic was arrested, but cut his throat with a knife while enroute to the Truro jail. Both were buried in the same grave.

TRAGEDY VICTIMS BURIED ON SUNDAY LAST

The victims of the tragedy enacted at Bellevue on Wednesday and Thursday last were buried in the Bellevue cemetery on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Harry Peters officiating.

The Worths moved to Bellevue from Lethbridge seven or eight years ago. While the events of last week came somewhat as a shock to the greater portion of the community, yet those who knew more intimately the circumstances rather expected something of the nature would happen.

The father and son had been living together since the mother, son and daughter left them several year ago. Mr. Worth had not been enjoying the best of health and it is believed that his rash act of shooting his nineteen year-old son to death was committed during a spasm of insanity.

When the Rev. Peters, Fred Wostenholme and the police entered the shack, a most gruesome sight confronted them. The boy laid prostrate on the bed his head resting on a blood-stained pillow, with a bullet wound through the brain. Death was instantaneous. The father was on the floor struggling in agony, blood flowing freely from a wound just above the ear. By his side was found a revolver with three empty cartridges and one intact.

Mr. Worth died about four hours after using the gun on himself.

On the walls of the rooms were written various messages, one to the effect that a will had been regularly executed by Mr. Worth in favor of his wife, residing at Fernie, and that copy of the will would be found with a Mr. Jordan.

This document has since been secured.



DEATH OF MAJOR SHARPE

This district was shocked last week to learn of the death of Major Wallace J. Sharpe, which occurred at his ranch, Firgrove, at South Fork, on Friday morning, following an attack of scarlet fever and pneumonia. Major Sharpe was but 34 years of age. He was born in Pincher Creek and had lived the greater part of his life in the district. His father, the late Sam Sharpe, was for many years captain of the roundup.

Wallace Sharpe was one of the original officers of the Third C. M. F., which started recruiting at Pincher Creek on the first of February, 1915. He volunteered for a draft, which left Sarcee Camp in September of the same year, later proceeding to France with the famous Fort Garry Horse. He had a distinguished military career, having been adjutant of his regiment and for conspicuous gallantry was awarded both the Military Cross and Distinguished Conduct Medal. He was wounded at the first battle of Cambrai in November, 1917, which resulted in the amputation of his left leg. He suffered a good deal as a result of the amputation, but in spite of this handicap operated a ranch with very little assistance and had one of the best crops in his district.

The immediate cause of death was diabetes. Surviving relatives are Mrs. Wallace Sharpe (nee Miss Nora Mitchell, formerly of Bellevue) and son Ernest, Mrs. W. T. Eddy, of Calgary, mother; and Mrs. Larmour, of Calgary, sister.

The funeral took place on Sunday last, the remains being laid to rest in Cowley cemetery. The funeral cortege was fully a mile in length. The service at the graveside was conducted by Rev. Harry Peters, of Bellevue, and with full military honors.

Major Sharpe was an unsuccessful candidate for the Rocky Mountain Riding in the provincial elections in July, 1921.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes were the following: Norah, heart; Mrs. W. T. Eddy and Ethel, star; Mrs. Mitchell, cross; Mrs. Hinton and Dick, wreath; H. Hinton, wreath; Hilda, spray; Mrs. Ada Kemmis and girls, spray; G.W.V.A., (Calgary), poppy wreath; G.W.V.A., Pincher Creek, cross; I.O.D.E., Calgary, spray; H. H. Rogers, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. L. Putnam, spray; Mr. and Mrs. R. Burns, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Denmore, anchor; Mr. and Mrs. J. Morgan, spray; Mrs. and Mrs. C. Cartwright, wreath; Mrs. Madden and family, wreath; Mrs. Trist, cross; Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith, spray; Mrs. Jarrad, spray; Mrs. Moore, spray; W. C. Old Boys, Calgary, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. H. Barless, wreath.

A splendid brand of hockey was staged on the local arena on Thursday night of last week by the Bellevue and Blairmore juniors. The teams battled to a draw, which failed to break over with an overtime period. The score was 4-4. These boys range between 16 and 19 years and no doubt some of them will be seen in senior hockey next season.

P. M. Christophers, M. P. P., leaves for Edmonton on Sunday night, where he will attend the session of the provincial legislature.

CROWVIEW REBEKAH OFFICERS INSTALLED

At a special meeting of Crowview Rebekah Lodge No. 66, held in the I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday night last, the officers for the ensuing term were installed by Sister E. Turner, D.D.F., assisted by a number of past grands and past noble grands. The officers installed were:

P. N. G.—Mrs. Fraser.
N. G.—Mrs. Archer.
V. G.—Mrs. W. O. Evans.
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L.S.V.G.—Mrs. James Patterson.
Jade G.—Mrs. D. A. Howe.
Ourside G.—Mrs. H. J. Benson.
Representative to Rebekah Assembly—Mrs. W. McVey, P. N. G.

Towards the close, a Rebekah jewel was presented to the retiring noble grand, Sister Fraser, and an Oddfellows ring to Bro. Joseph Montalbetti, P. G.

At the close refreshments were served and dancing was indulged in for a short period.

We understand that Mike Cassidy contains in his stable a boxing exhibition scheduled for or a out February 11th (Sat.). Jew 1 box a main bout with Ted Soria, of Seattle. On the same night the big hockey go between Coleman and Blairmore takes place.



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CHAPTER IV The Gathering Storm

On the north bank of the river, from which it derived its name, the town of Crawling Water was a small village in the shape of an irregular horn. Its original settlers had been men of large ideas, and hence had plenty of space at their disposal, they had used it lavishly. The streets, bordered by dusty, weather-beaten, frame, built-up, were as wide as those of a large city; indeed, in areas, the town could compete with many big metropolises, but there the resemblance ended. Crawling Water was not fated to become a big city. The first bit of the nearest railroad point was at Sheridan, forty miles away, did away with any ambitions that Crawling Water might have had to be more than a neighborhood center.

The mixed population was composed of cattle men, sheep men, cow punchers and herdsmen, with a sprinkling of gamblers and other riffraff. Rough, unscrupulous, full-blooded men, they were, for the most part; hard working; decisive in their likes and dislikes; fearing neither God nor man, they met life as they found it and faced death with a laugh. They were the last of a fast disappearing type, picturesque, but lacking in many of the attributes which differentiate mankind from the beasts.

Hardly more than a village, Crawling Water was yet a town, and the seat of such machinery of government as had been established, and accordingly, Gordon Wade had ridden directly to his office from his vacation interview with Oscar Jensen. After he had stabled his horse and seen it fed, he went up the street to the direction of Morgan's office. He was resolved to find out where the seal stood on the above question without any unnecessary delay. Save for a few dogs, sleeping in the blaze of the noon-day sun, the street was head like a ball of fire, the town seemed deserted.

When Wade entered the office, Morgan was seated at his desk, chewing on a cigar, about which his closely cropped reddish moustache, bristled. Like Senator Russell, he was a man of fifth and bulk, but his apple body was endowed with a strength which not even his great size had been able to wreck, and he was always muscularly fit. Except for the hiker's big boots, which were, he was rather handsomely dressed, and would have been called fastidiously so in the better ring of a metropolitan race track, where his diamond scarf and ring would have been admired.

"Hello," he boomed as Wade entered. "Have a cigar." He pushed a box of an excellent brand toward his visitor and waved him toward his seat. His greeting was only rather too cordial.

Wade declined both the chair and the cigar.

"I dropped in to find out who you had Jensen to his sheep in on my range," he began bluntly.

"Let me see." The agent very deliberately lifted a huge white hand and took the cigar out of his mouth. "Just what range is that?"

"The upper valley range which I have under lease."

"Which you have under lease?" Wade asked, leaning forward. "I wasn't aware that you had any legal right to that part of the valley. It's government land, isn't it?"

"You seem to have forgotten that you once tried to buy the lease from me," the rancher sneered, his teeth in a grim smile. "We'll not submit over that however. We've got our legal right, all of us; but we're a long

distance from the courts here. What I want to know is plain English in with you, Jensen to trail those sheep? Now, wait a moment, please. Morgan exhibited with a show of bitterness he did not feel.

"Think, wait, please," he said. "Wade went on. 'You're not here to threaten me, but these are desperate men in this valley who will take matters into their own hands. If this lease is not stopped, there's plenty of game on the other side of the mountains and your sheep are well come to it. Why don't you make use of it?'

"Why should I? The sheep have a right to be where they are and there they'll stay until I get ready to move them. You cattle men think you own this country, but when it comes to the show down, you're a bunch of bluffs."

"Now, Wade, I made you an offer once—I'll admit it, and I'll make it again for the last time. Sell me your business and leave right at the price I offered you—ten thousand dollars, and get out sniffling. There's a lot of room for the two of us in the valley."

"Ten thousand dollars for the house and the lease combined?" Wade laughed mirthlessly. "You're crazy, man. Why, you offered me that much for the lease alone a few weeks ago."

"Did I? I'd forgotten it. Anyway, it's a fair offer. The land is still owned by Uncle Sam, you know. You haven't proved your claim, and you never will if I can help it. We are spending lots of money here, and the government will see that our interests are protected. You cattle men can't hog the whole of Crawling Water Valley and leave changed. Well, what do you say?"

The ranchman dismissed the proposition with a gesture, but did not immediately speak. Silently, the two big men faced each other, their faces crossed like rapiers; the cattle man like a statue in bronze in the fixed rigidity of his attitude, but with an expression that showed him no danger to trifle with; the agent affecting that half tolerant amusement which one may feel toward an enemy unworthy of one's provocation. Wade presently broke the silence.

"Morgan, you may be a big man in the East, but you're not big enough for the job you've tackled here. I've held my friends back as long as I can—longer than I thought I could—and they break loose, this valley be a little hell, perhaps a shambles. Men are going to be killed, and I have a feeling that you are going to be one of them. Against that time, once there, I want you, Ted Jensen to trail his sheep!"

Swinging on his heel, the ranchman left the office, paying no attention to the ironical "Good night," which Morgan called after him.

In the street, Wade chanced upon a neighboring cattle owner, Lem Trowbridge of the Circle Heart outfit, who fell into step with him.

"Gordon, how long are we going to stand for this thing, eh? Say, do you know what some are saying about you? Now, I'm your friend, and I'm telling you straight that you're gone wrong on this business. You're a good fellow, but you're not a politician."

"They say I'm afraid, I suppose," Wade stopped and faced Trowbridge. "I've never been afraid of anything in my life."

"To me! Say, what's the kind of a friend do you take me for?" Trowbridge's words were earnest, but he hadn't said just that, Gordon; but they're blinding, and I don't like it. If you hear it direct, send the man on to me with it," said Wade, his lips compressed ominously. "I'll be back there," Lem, not quite but pretty near. I've told Morgan to have Jensen trail those sheep, and if he doesn't, I'll be back there."

Trowbridge nodded and smiled, as they passed at a street corner—one of the few that Crawling Water possessed.

"That's the idea, Gordon. We'll all be the best of friends waiting. Well, I'll not go any farther with you." He turned with elaborate precision and looked in the direction of the cattle house, with flower boxes in the windows a bascule tone away. "She's home. I see her. The stone under a little while ago."

Wade blushed like a boy and looked at his watch.

"I don't get into town so very often," he began lamely, when Trowbridge stopped him, heartily on the back.

"You don't need to make any excuses to me. The only one—maybe, you are."

"Secretly agree though Wade was to reach the cottage, the nearer he approached it, the slower he walked, fuming at himself for his sudden change of mind. Although no Indian man, he had never been wary until fairly, and this of itself was a sign, the significance of which he was far from realizing. When he was with Dorothy Furnell, he almost forgot in the near contact the weakness of his relationship; when away from her, he thought no more of her than he thought of the health of a friend; but the approach had become a matter of embarrassing difficulty with him. There had even been occasions when he had walked past the cottage and ridden home without seeing her, trying specially to convince himself that such had all along been his intention.

Something of the sort might have happened here had she not hailed him from the open doorway.

"Whither bound, stranger?" she inquired, her face, her low, rich contralto. "Better come in where it's cool. Mother'll be glad to see you, and I shall be glad to see you."

She had come to Crawling Water for the restorative effect of the bracing mountain air upon the health of her mother, who was threatened with nervous breakdown, following the death of Mr. Furnell.

The town called them Easterners because their home was as far east as Michigan, but they had been keen city dwellers, as Dorothy's fresh complexion and lithe, alert figure bore witness.

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The average girl tries to figure in a broader engagement.

Canadian National Railway Activities During 1922

Making Necessary Provision for Increasing Traffic in Western Canada

Through the perpetuation of her plans, making timely and prompt provision for the continually expanding traffic in Western Canada, the Canadian National Railway has, during the year, been incidentally with national progress in every province.

To maintain the high standard of transportation rendered by the Canadian National system, considerable money was expended to improve the road bed, better facilities provided and the best equipment purchased, to enable the greatest tonnage to be handled in a single train.

Of the national system of 22,247 miles, there are in the west 10,470 miles of railway made up as follows: Canadian Northern, 6,783.32; D.N.W., 177.39; G.T.P., 2,111.61; Hudson Bay, 214; Canadian Government, 532.23. In accordance with the management's policy of providing railway service, an settlement proceeded in undeveloped, or partially developed territory, and of improving the branch lines as constituting a factor on them.

Developed, the branch line construction and betterment programme for western lines has been maintained during the year, but confined mostly to improvement of existing lines. By this, improvement was given to the extension of the great industry, agriculture, and the railway placed in a position to handle a greater proportion of the national traffic.

The Branch Line Programme covered the following branches: Amaranth extension, Jackfish, Lucky Lake, Moffort-Humboldt, Moffort N.E., Onoway, Red Deer spur, Swift Current, Thunderbolt extension and Camrose-Alberta, comprising much ballasting, fencing and construction of platforms, stockyards, section and bunk houses.

Since the co-ordination of the Grand Trunk Pacific with the Canadian National, various connections were constructed to enable traffic to be routed by shorter or better lines, eliminating railway crossings and interlocking plants and thus reducing operating costs and quickening freight and passenger service. The results of the co-ordination policy have been eminently satisfactory and during the year additional undertakings of the same character have been underway and these, with the completion of some commenced last season, improved operating conditions. Mention may be made of certain of these, viz: East Edmonton, Battle-Dumham, Magnolia, Stony Plains, Regina, Langham and Moosehide, and the grade revision at this place, as well as the Neelby yard and the double tracking from Port Arthur westward.

Water Supply

The improvement of existing water supplies and the provision of new supplies where needed was one of the most important items of betterment on the Canadian National programme for several years. The results obtained were so satisfactory in reducing operating costs and improving traffic movement as to warrant a continuance of the company's policy in this regard, and during 1922, a number of complete supplies were developed, as follows: more, Pore, Hubbard, Rama, Maryfield, Parkgreen, Wistons and Conquest, reservoirs were formed by damming a ravine and also excavating a reservoir to give additional depth and storage. At Tims, Elkhart, Gravelbourg, Radville and Mecheche, ravines or creeks were dammed. The original reservoir at Edson, formed by damming a creek valley, was deepened.

General Betterments

Many bridges of a temporary nature were replaced with permanent construction, facilities provided to cope with the increased traffic, and a number of 10,252 lineal feet and 27 bridges totalling 16,587 lineal feet were eliminated by co-ordination undertakings or by the revisions.

Considerable mileage of 85-pound steel rail was used for replacements on western lines. Much of this was laid between Portage in Prairie and Kipling, replacing 50-pound steel with 85-pound steel.

Equipment that line with heavy steel

from Winnipeg to Kipling, a distance of 263 miles.

Increased accommodation in passing tracks, sidings, spurs, industrial tracks and terminal yards became necessary on account of increased traffic.

Released rail, treated in the railways' rail treating plant at Winnipeg, was made available for use on the less important lines. During 1922, 15,000 gross tons were treated. A large number of frogs and switches were also reclaimed in this plant.

The building programme covered a widely varying list of structures, including roundhouses, among others of these, that at Sioux Lookout, a fifteen stall roundhouse was lengthened to accommodate bigger locomotives which are to be used east of Winnipeg next season. Facilities were entirely remodelled at this latter point, where a mechanical coaling plant and a compressed asphalt replaced existing structures.

The use of heavier locomotives burning western coal made it necessary to recast engines on certain subdivisions, and to enable this to be done both quickly and economically, intermediate coaling plants were necessary; several 100-ton mechanical coaling plants were provided for this purpose. Modern storerooms with oil storage and pump equipment were erected at Regina and Prince George.

Many additional facilities for the use of the public and shippers generally have been added or extensions made to present structures, the more important of these were 23 stations, freight and passenger shelters and extensions to stations, 15 stations installed by rough cast stucco surface, 20 loading platforms and 12 stockyards.

Increasing holiday and tourist traffic necessitated improvements at Grand Beach, in the way of additional water supply and sanitary conveniences. At Jasper National Park, a summer camp was constructed and opened. The camp, composed of a number of rustic cottages, with a central pavilion for dining and recreation, all in keeping with the picturesque natural scenery of the location. The camp with traffic requirements, reached its maximum during the summer season, and the tourist season and a considerable extension to this resort is now in progress.

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traffic requirements. The renewals were large and the property may be said to be in an excellent condition.

—Literacy in Poland

There is a campaign in Poland against illiteracy. Statistics show that only one-half of the people living in Poland can read and write. Comparison with other countries shows that in Germany the percentage is 100; in France 97 per cent, Italy 82 per cent, Hungary 55 per cent, Russia 39 per cent, Roumania 12 per cent.

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"Do you think, professor," said the musically ambitious youth, "that I shall ever be able to do anything with my voice?"

"Well," was the cautious reply, "it may come in handy to raise the neighborhood in case of invasion."

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Perfumes, which still retain their scent after a lapse of more than three thousand years were found in four alabaster vases which were removed from the outer chamber of the tomb of King Tutankhamun. It is believed the perfumes which are somewhat musky, were intended for use in anointing the king's body.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The women of the state of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, are given the franchise under a measure adopted by the state legislature.

A resolution requesting Congress to modify and liberalize the Volstead Prohibition Act was introduced at the opening of the New Jersey Legislature.

The reduced rental charged for grazing privileges on school lands in the western provinces of six cents per acre, instead of ten cents, is to be continued for another year.

Captain George Chantel, one of the two French soldiers who were awarded the Victoria Cross during the Great War, has been appointed magistrate of St. Pierre, Michigan.

The price of sugar has been advanced 15 cents a hundred by the Atlantic Sugar Refining Co., Ltd. It was said that the increase was effective all over Canada.

The cost of living in Germany increased 53.5 per cent. in December, the average of prices being 853 times as great as those charged before the war, according to figures published.

A pioneer party of 50 educated English women will sail for Australia about the middle of February to settle. Nearly 400 applied to join the party. The age of the majority of those accepted is around 30.

An Indian, John James, of Allen Water, west of Fort William, has forwarded the pelts of two timber and eight brush wolves to H. W. Brown, Indian agent, for the collection of bounty. The Indian will receive \$240 in bounty money.

An unusual education project is being forwarded by the British Federation of University women. It contains plates taking a 500-year lease of Crow by Hall, a fifteenth century structure on Chelsea embankment, for use as a residence for foreign women graduate students.

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Hand Looms Still Used for Weaving Beautiful Fabrics

The looms of Damascus have been famous for many centuries. In this city, where everything is still done on the most primitive way—where wool is ground in stone mills turned by camels, the hand looms are worked by a weaver and his draw-boy. On these looms are made the beautiful damasks, woven in silks of brilliant colors, that were known throughout Europe and Asia as early as the time of the Crusades.

Damascus was also famous for its Damascus blades. In the Middle Ages but few have been forged since 1895, when Tamerlane, the terrible Tartar conqueror, raided the city and carried off all the great armors to his own capital.

These blades were so perfect that they would cut floating pagodas, so hard that they would shear an iron spear in two as if it were a reed; and so elastic that they would bend to a right angle and then spring back as ever. The twisting and welding of two grades of iron and steel gave them their cutting properties, and also imparted a beautiful watermark pattern. To make them still more beautiful the Damascus blades had their marvelous designs done in gold and silver. Damascus today is still famous for this exquisite hand work in metals.

A Hundred Dollars Worth For Thirty-Five Cents

When you are awakened from a sound sleep by Champs, when without a moment's warning pain springs upon you, it's then you would readily pay a hundred dollars for the quick relief you could secure from a thirty-five cent bottle of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Nothing like Nervine to relieve cramps, stomach aches, diarrhoea and indigestion. Nothing like Nervine for Neuralgia, cold in the chest and sore throat. The price of Nervine is thirty-five cents, no more, no less, in all stores where medicines are sold.

Vocabulary Needed

Teachers should have a vocabulary of between 1,500 and 4,000 words. The professional man should have from 1,500 to 3,000 words, while the high school boy should have from 200 words. This was told to a teachers' institute at Salem, Oregon, by Dr. Carl G. Doney, President of Willamette University.

Railroads and Motors

In a year the Pennsylvania Railroad carried 152,000,000 without killing one. During the same year 12,500 persons in the United States were killed by automobiles. There seems to be no limit to human progress.

Every careful and observant mother knows when her child suffers from worms. She also knows that if some remedy be not speedily applied, much harm will result to the infant. An excellent preparation for this purpose is Miller's Worm Powder. It drives worms from the system and sets up stimulating and soothing effects, so that the child's progress thereafter is painless and satisfying.

Bairling in Manitoba

Manitoba's dairying industry has shown remarkable development during the past few years and out of \$1,000,000 in the province there are now 26,000 of them producing and shipping milk and cream.

McARTHUR SAYS WORK'S EASY NOW

Calgary Citizen Declares Tangle End of His Rheumatism and Put Him On His Feet

"Tangle lost no time driving out his troubles two years ago, when I had rheumatism so bad I could hardly work, and I haven't had a pain since. This emphatic statement was made recently by David A. McArthur, 1042, 10th Ave. E., West Calgary, Alberta, well-known proprietor of the barber shop at the National Hotel.

"If you ever had a bad toothache," he said, "you will know how I felt, only that dull, throbbing pain was all up and down my left side. Every joint in my left leg, arm and shoulder pained me all the time, and at night I could get no rest or sleep, no matter what position I tried to lie in. When I was at work the pains were just as bad or worse, and I was simply miserable.

"What people said about Tangle in the papers started me taking it, and I've been thankful a thousand times. This medicine certainly did the work for me and I gladly recommend it to others."

Tangle is for sale by all good druggists.

Britain's Arable Land

Reduction in Amount of Agricultural Land Is Announced

Reduction of the arable area of Great Britain has been continuous since 1915. Last year under the figures it was not much greater than immediately before the war, according to a report from the ministry of agriculture.

The total area under crops and grass showed less change in 1922 than for several years past. The figures being, 26,025,000 acres in 1922, against 26,140,000 in 1921. The arable area, however, was reduced by 208,000 acres while the permanent grass area was increased by 189,000 acres.

HEALTHY CHILDREN ALWAYS SLEEP WELL

The healthy child sleeps well and during its waking hours is never cross but always happy and laughing. It is only the sickly child that is cross and peevish. Mothers, if your children do not sleep well, if they are cross and cry a great deal, give them Baby's Own Tablets and they will soon be well and happy again. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach, banish constipation, colic and indigestion and promote healthy sleep. They are absolutely guaranteed free from opiates and may be given to the newborn babe with perfect safety. They are sold by medicine dealers, or by mail at 25 cents a box from "The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

People Should Eat More Fish

Every day should be fish day, said Friday, says a New York Health Commissioner Copeland. He thinks people eat altogether too much meat, and that public school children are "taught everything except how to live."

Help Wanted

Small boy (to the preacher): "Please, mister, we got a new sled. Would you mind paying for snow?"—Life

"YOUR TEETH"

PROPHYLAXIS

By Dr. Francis McGee, D.D.S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

A while ago a huge dirigible balloon expanded in the air and swayed through the roof of a building in one of our large cities. Many people, who were doing their best to be useful citizens, were killed at their work as the burning wreckage came down upon them. A set of city ordinances were passed at once to prevent a similar catastrophe in the future.

It always takes a severe lesson to make Americans up to the fact that an ounce of prevention is worth while. Why must we always wait? Why not prevent in the first place? Prophylaxis means: early treatment for prevention.

Prophylaxis also means: do the right thing and avoid the accident. So many regrets can be eliminated by doing the right thing first. In the mouth the right thing is to have the teeth and mouth thoroughly cleaned at frequent intervals. Every surface of every tooth should be carefully gone over and each little particle of food and every deposit of tartar removed.

Teeth frequently have very rough enamel, almost as if nature had neglected to polish them. This rough enamel is a favorite resting place for food and bacteria. It should always be smoothed and polished. Every little cavity should be filled.

One thing filling is worth a dozen false fillings as a tooth preserver. Have your teeth filled while the cavities are small. It does not hurt to fill little cavities and little fillings prevent big ones.

It is very important to remove all stains. Where there is a stained spot it indicates that there is a spot that is not cleaned by the action of the tooth brush and it usually means that the enamel at that point has been attacked by the acids and decomposing food. Every stained area should be cleaned, smoothed and polished. Where fillings are bad, if rough, they should be ground to the right size and shaped and polished; if they are defective they should be removed and replaced by perfect ones.

One of the most important things about fillings is teeth in the contact point. That is the spot where each tooth touches its neighbor. Any fault at this point allows food to pack between the teeth, causing great discomfort and making the gums sore. Prophylaxis is the best tooth insurance.

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To clean out your bowels without cramping or overacting, take Cascarets. They are gentle, pleasant, and give instant relief. They are sold by medicine dealers, or by mail at 25 cents a box from "The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Dick Turpin Inn Will Disappear

Favorite Hiding Place of Notorious Highwayman Is Closed

Regarded to be 700 years old, and in past times a favorite hiding place of Dick Turpin and other highwaymen, the picturesque King's Arms Inn at Blitham has been closed down. It is to make way for a modern sanatorium.

Road widening of the main road between London and Folkestone has been completed, sweeping away the timbered building of two floors, which projected upon the thoroughfare.

The inn boasts of a haunted room, and there is a legend that the victim's suburban passage reached to the neighboring church.

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller makes it a real reach of all, and it can be got at any drugstore.

Presbyterians Lead in China—At present the Presbyterians form the largest Protestant communion in China, numbering 57,332. With the 29,000 Congregationalists, added, they will exceed the Methodists who come next, by nearly 20,000.

Worth Grasping

George W. Still said concerning the late John W. Wainmaker: "He was a man who was on time." The youth who cannot grasp that "essential, and grasp it, is lost; and he is a failure before he begins.—Ottawa Journal.

A cynic is a man who laughs at the world with tears in his eyes.

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Agricultural Training

Beatty Offers Farm Courses in Alberta For Boys of Britain

Announcement is made that President Beatty, of the C.P.R., is awarding a full summer course at the agricultural schools of Alberta to the four prize winners of the young farmers' clubs of Great Britain.

These organizations have been formed in farming communities of the British Isles and also in Western Canada, some particular or specialized line of farming being taken up by members. In Saskatchewan, these organizations increased their membership from 460 in 1918 to 30,000 in 1921, and in the same period in Manitoba they have increased from seven clubs to 240 clubs, with 1,500 branch clubs with a total membership of 25,000.

The four selected boys will arrive in Canada in time to commence their summer course at the Alberta agricultural schools in May next. There is a possibility that the award will be made an annual one.

Unit to Live—Must Die

This verdict is rendered a thousand times every week—no corn can live, it must pass out, drop off, if Putnam's Extractor is applied, to corn and warts. Use the old reliable "Putnam's." It never fails, 25¢ at all dealers.

A Crack Shot

A man engaged in cleaning an observatory noticed an astronomer, looking through a telescope. A few minutes later, seeing a star fall, the man was heard to remark: "Strike me pink, that chap's a crack shot!"—Pearson's.

Catarrhal Conditions

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Without the camel the hot deserts of the Old World would be unpeopled and unknown. In the hot, dry desert regions the camel is the horse, the cow and the sheep of the herders and traders. He carries all the burdens, he furnishes flesh and milk for food, and his hair or wool furnishes material for weaving cloth. At night in camp the little children of the chief get cups of the camel's thick, cheesy milk, mixed with water. On the chief's table is cooked camel flesh. The herders wear robes and turbans of brown camel's hair cloth. The master sleeps under a camel's hair tent.

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Powerful Medicine—The healing properties in all essential oils are concentrated in every bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, forming one of the most beneficial liniments ever offered to the use of man. Many can testify as to its power in allaying pain, and many more can certify that they owe their health to it. Its wonderful power is not expressed by the small price at which it sells.

Not Very Definite

The fortune-teller was sending cold streams of horror down the victim's back as she predicted the bad things in store for him in the immediate future.

"You will die in a year!" she hissed at last. "This line in your palm tells me so."

"Help!" gasped the victim. "It surely cannot be as bad as that!" "As I said," continued the seer, "you will die in a year—but in what year I cannot say."

Earache?

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Excellent for Croupy Children

When a child is suffering with croup it is a good plan to use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It reduces the inflammation and loosens the phlegm giving speedy relief to the little sufferer. It is equally reliable for sore throat and chest, earache, rheumatic pains, cuts, bruises and sprains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is regarded by many thousands as an indispensable of the family medicine chest.

Minard's Liniment for Neuralgia

The Useful Echo

Dr. H. C. Hayes, physician, told the National Academy of Science in New York that with an echo you can tell to a half just how deep the ocean is, at any point in all its 140,000,000 square miles, and with an echo to guide you will be able to navigate safely through a fog so thick that you can't see the bows of your own boat.

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shadow.

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1922 is valued at one million
dollars.

W. B. Jain, chiropractor, has
moved from Blairmore to Macleod.

J. W. MacDonald, lawyer, will
be a candidate for school trustee
at Macleod.

About \$65,000 worth of coal,
minium, etc., was taken from the
hold of the freighter Achilles in
Vancouver harbor.

A number of families have
moved into Blairmore during the
past few weeks from the Drum-
heller mining district.

Reddick's other foot had to be
logged down with a brick by the
doctors on Monday night to pre-
vent him from getting into the
rings.

The trial of the Dozier
brothers, charged with the
murder of a Vulcan farmer named
Kelly, takes place in Calgary on
January the 22nd.

In a few years from now, the
liquor business of British Columbia
will be bustling of having
shouldered the bulk of responsi-
bility for education in that province.

Wives are more powerful than
husbands. A wife can make a
husband wear rubbers in winter
weather, but a husband can't
make a wife cover her throat and
chest.

Rev. P. J. N. Coomes returned
from Spokane on Saturday last,
where he had been in consultation
with medical specialists. He was
accompanied by Father McCor-
mick of Coleman.

The Calgary ladies hockey
team paid a visit to Fernie yes-
terday and last night played the
Swastikas. A return game will
be played at Calgary towards
the end of the month.

Dr. S. Bonnell, of Fernie, has
severed his connection with the
firm of Bonnell, Garner & As-
selline, and will in future limit
his practice to the treatment of
diseases of the eye, ear, nose and
throat.

The Innisfail Province re-
marker, "Blairmore and Cad-
don are looking forward to a six-
hour day and a five-day week as
being in keeping with their aris-
tocratic upbringing and tastes."

Do you know, there are some
people right here so infatuated
with the foreign patronage idea as to
go to Lethbridge in the hope of
saving money on a transportation
ticket abroad. Really, such is
not the kind of citizens a town
should desire.

Postmaster Armstrong, of Ed-
monton, has been arrested,
charged with the theft of \$50,000
in three registered letters ad-
dressed to the Merchants' Bank,
in the month of August, 1919.
Armstrong maintains his innocence
of the charge.

The Dominion government has
approved plans submitted by
Commissioner Lamb, international
secretary of the Salvation
Army, for the settlement in Can-
ada of 25,000 young women,
youths and children to be selected
from the British Isles.

A by-law to provide for the
borrowing of the sum of \$8000 for
the purpose of erecting a town
hall was voted down by the rate-
payers of Nanton. A similar by-
law to raise sixteen thousand
dollars for a larger hall and
furnishings was voted down in
July last.

A dancer was given at the Gr-
and 111 last night.

The new Riverside Ironworks
is now working to full capacity
with double shifts.

Complete line of Smoked and Cured
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Mr. and Mrs. Lance Morgan
are rejoicing over the advent, on
Friday morning last, of an eleven-
pound son.

The estate of F. Thurl, of
Lethbridge, will likely pay an
approximate distribution of
\$8,523.80.

Dr. Michael Clark and H. H.
Hull will discuss the pros and
cons of prohibition at Calgary
some time this month.

The engagement of Prince
Albert, Duke of York, second son
of King George and Queen Mary,
to Lady Elizabeth Bowes Lyon,
is announced.

Fred Wolstenholme has been
elected school trustee by acclama-
tion at Bellevue. He will be
vacancy caused by the resignation
of Walter Wain.

The first thing some people
want when they get a little
money is a car; then the first
thing they want when they get a
little money.

Danny Lewis wore a brand new
overcoat and a megaphone at the
arena on Monday night. Danny
caught a severe chill when Archie
McLeod took off his megaphone.

In the forgotten grave of an
American seaman buried in the
national cemetery, Brooklyn,
federal officials expect to find
some of the Russian Crown jewels
which are known to have been
smuggled into the United States
in September, 1920.

According to a report from
Edmonton, Attorney General
Brownlee is putting the necessary
machinery into motion to action
the petition which is to be pre-
sented by the moderationists at
the coming session of the legis-
lature, asking for a beer license.

The new Lethbridge arena was
officially opened last night, when
an exhibition game of hockey was
staged between Lethbridge and
Taber Majestics. The new arena
has a very attractive interior, is
well lighted and has seating ac-
commodation for about 3200
persons.

A miner named Carl Seaba was
killed by a fall of cap rock while
working in the International
mine at Coleman on Saturday
last. The unfortunate man was
buried from the head to the chest
with rock. He was a returned
veteran, having served with the
112nd Battalion.

E. F. Rahal has relinquished
the management of the Audi-
torium hotel at Nanton and the
hotel has fallen back into the
hands of the owners, the Calgary
Brewing & Malting Co., with
Arthur Wainmanland, of Strath-
more, as manager.

Rev. W. F. Burns and his
band of church workers at Fernie
were made happy recently when
they received from Mr. W. R.
Wilson a cheque for \$8000 to be
applied to the church debt. And
a few days later a cheque for a
similar amount was received from
Mr. A. B. Trites.

At the hockey game here on
Monday night there was no lack
of real enthusiasm. The interest
in amateur hockey was evidenced
in the fact that a goodly rep-
resentation from every community
between Cranbrook and Medicine
Hat was in attendance. Even
Dick Alexander, of Cowley, and
Franchie Trudel, of Edmonton,
occupied positions in the grand
stand.

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sent over to Russia. She is
president of the United Fair
Women of Alberta, and declares
that the women of Alberta spend
too much time looking up and
incidentally darning socks, and
not enough time to the political
issues confronting the province.

Mr. W. Bird, manager of the
local branch of the Trust Bank
of Canada, was the lucky winner
of the beautifully awarded
by our local jury Mr. S.
Trono, during the time
season. The drawing took place
at the Orpheum theatre on Sat-
urday night, when Mr. Bird
asked for some girl from the
audience to come forward
and draw from a sack covered
with a little five-year-old
taken care of and drew a ticket,
the duplicate of which happened
to be held by Mr. Bird.

The local committee is now
convening among the sporting
element of West Blairmore for
the balance of funds necessary to
buy a C. P. R. passenger train to
convey the hockey enthusiasts to
Lethbridge on February the 14th.
Only seventeen dollars and
eighty-four cents are now needed.

A fellow in Saskatchewan was
employed to count a sheep herd.
Two days after he returned to his
employer, who asked, "Well, how
many?" "Well," he replied, "to
make sure I counted the legs
found there were exactly twenty
thousand, so that your herd con-
tains just five thousand sheep."

Commodore Reddick, of the
Blairmore senior hockey team,
had the misfortune to injure his
foot in a practice on the arena
last week end, and as a result
was unable to take his place with
the team on Monday night. He
will, however, be on deck to-
morrow night at Bellevue. Re-
sults later.

H. D. McMillan, the genial
proprietor of the Cowley hotel,
was in town on Monday night
sizing up the hockey game and
the town of Blairmore and the
folks in general. Mackie re-
ceived over a report in the Leth-
bridge Squaresheet referring
to him as "The Silver Lip."
Mackie is really a silver tip, and
takes pride in the fact.

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A miser grows rich by seeming

poor and an extravagant man

grows poor by seeming rich.

Macleod Solicitor Takes Issue With The Provincial Attorney-General

Following is copy of a communication forwarded by Mr. J. W. McDonald, of Macleod, to Edmonton on Tuesday of this week.

Macleod, Alberta,
January 15th, 1922

Honourable J. E. Brownlee, K.C.,
Attorney General,
Edmonton, Alta.

Dear Sir:
re: Rex vs. Matheson)
Rex vs. Belecky) Rogers
Rex vs. Walker)
I have your letter of the 9th inst. in which you say:

"I have nothing to add to my previous letter, which appears to you found quite unsatisfactory."

I most certainly did find it quite unsatisfactory, but no more so than your letter of the 9th inst. in which you do not even attempt to explain some of the facts set out in my letter of the 30th ultimo. You say, however, that you will welcome an opportunity of stating your position at the coming session of the Legislature and of dealing with my letter. Feeling confident that such an opportunity will present itself, I wish for the purpose of being concise and clear to briefly summarize the facts in connection with the case and to ask for certain explanations in connection therewith. I might say, however, that unless you can give some better explanation of those facts than you have just given you can scarcely with reason hope that your explanation will be accepted and you freed from a blameworthy connection with the case.

The salient facts are:

1. On Sept. 8th, 1922, two cars were detained by Constable Lawson, of the A.P.P., and Constable Houghton, a municipal Police Officer, of Coleman, which cars were carrying liquor. The seizure was made at Coleman.

2. The cars were in the possession of and driven by Harry Walker and Max Belecky.

3. Harry Walker produced a paper which Const. Lawson and Houghton referred to as "an alleged customs export paper," which paper shows that the two cars contained 70 cases of Scotch Whiskey and one keg of malt; and that they were billed to Albert Powell, Havre, Mont., U.S.A., from the Fernie Liqueur Exporters, Fernie, B.C., "by automobile for exportation to U.S.A. via Highway direct."

4. The liquor was taken into the A.P.P. detachment at Coleman.

5. An information was laid by Const. Houghton against Max Belecky under Section 24 of the Alberta Liquor Act.

6. A similar information was laid against Harry Walker.

7. The papers in connection with the case passed into the hands of Mrs. Lawson after Const. Lawson's death on the 21st September, 1922.

8. On the 12th September Mr. Smith, solicitor to the Attorney General's department, wrote a letter to Const. Houghton and in this letter Mr. Smith says:

(a) "I am directed by the Attorney General to acknowledge receipt of your undated communication with reference to the above."

(b) "I beg to inform you that Mr. McDonald, of Macleod, has been instructed by the Provincial Police to conduct the prosecution and I shall be obliged if you will kindly get in touch with him and provide him with the necessary information to enable him to conduct this prosecution."

9. On the 14th Sept., 1922, Inspector Bavin of Lethbridge wrote me a letter in the matter, from which I quote the following:

(a) "I have the honour to advise you that two automobiles driven by the above named (Walker and Belecky) and carrying liquor in each car were held up by a member of this force at Coleman and the liquor confiscated."

(b) "I am now in receipt of instructions from the Commissioner

stating that Mr. Poppo, who is acting as legal adviser to the force, suggests that these parties have committed two offences, one under the Liquor Act as charged and a further charge under the Canada Temperance Act."

(c) "These two accused are driving cars and are working in the employ of M. C. Rogers, who is running the King's Exporting House at Lethbridge and the Fernie Exporters, at Fernie. The shipments were made and each package was labelled and covered by a Customs Export Entry which had not been entered through the Customs and would not be until it arrived at the line."

(d) "I am instructed to employ you to act for the prosecution."

(e) "There is also a subsequent charge in the lead recently picked up by Sergt. Caswell, which is pending. This is the same outfit."

10. On the 14th Sept., 1922, Const. Houghton, of Coleman, wrote me a letter, from which I quote the following:

"I am in receipt of a communication from the Attorney General advising me that you will be handling the case re Max Belecky, Canada Temperance Act."

11. Both of the cases were subsequently handed over to Const. Lawson, so that the police charge of the cases was in the hands of the A.P.P.

12. On the 18th Sept., after the passing of correspondence and telephone conversations between Const. Lawson and myself, I sent him a draft copy of a charge to be laid under the Canada Temperance Act, the charge under the Alberta Liquor Act having already been laid.

13. The cases were to come on before Magistrate Gresham, at Coleman, but were adjourned regularly, owing to different reasons, one of which was that Max Belecky's brother was ill, and that later he died, the last of such adjournments being Oct. 5th, 1922.

14. Constable Stephen Lawson was killed on Sept. 21st, 1922.

15. On the evening of Sept. 22nd, at the A.P.P. barracks at Frank, Alta. Asst. Supt. Nicholson came to me about the charges and asked me if they were going on. He said in effect that it would be satisfactory if the cases were not pushed too hard, as M. C. Rogers was the owner of the liquor in question and he was a pretty good fellow, but he said "It is up to you to say." I replied that so far as I was concerned the cases would go on. I was strengthened in this decision by the fact that influences had been brought to bear on me to induce me to "lie down" on the prosecution. When the conversation between Asst. Supt. Nicholson and myself closed it was understood that the cases would go on regularly.

16. On the evening of the 3rd of Oct., 1922, the last day of the Piccadillo preliminary inquiry, Asst. Supt. Nicholson again came to me, saying that he had authority "from Edmonton" to go before Magistrate Gresham without counsel and have the charges changed to the name of M. C. Rogers and that Rogers had agreed to plead guilty. He represented to me that expense to the Department would be saved if they did not have to pay a counsel fee. At this time nothing was said about the subsequent lead picked up by Sergt. Caswell referred to in 9-a.

17. By special arrangement he got Magistrate Gresham to sit that night, the 3rd Oct. (although the cases had been adjourned to the 5th Oct.) and the cases were disposed of.

18. I subsequently learned that the Alberta Liquor Act charges were the only ones proceeded with; that a fine of \$150.00 (less than the maximum) was imposed; that the liquor was not confiscated; nor was any confiscation urged; that no charges were proceeded with.

Some changes have been made to the interior arrangements of the Blairmore Hardware Co. store, allowing considerable more room to display the immense stocks carried.

ed with under the Canada Temperance Act, under which Act the minimum fine is \$200, maximum \$1,000, and further that the liquor was handed over to M. C. Rogers and police escort provided to the boundary (presumably the U.S. boundary).

19. The charge against Walker was apparently not dealt with at all, but a charge was laid against Rogers & Co., Ltd. There is a company incorporated as "Rogers & Company, Limited, and this was apparently the company intended to be charged."

20. I wrote a letter under date of the 20th Nov., 1922, to the Deputy Atty. General, asking for an explanation of the facts set out in 18.

21. On the 24th Nov., 1922, the Deputy Attorney General wrote me that he had forwarded my letter to the Superintendent of Provincial Police.

22. I wrote to the Superintendent on the 29th November, asking him for information.

23. On the 1st Dec., I had a reply from Supt. W. C. Bryan, from which I make the following quotations:

(a) "As you are aware, I wrote you on the 7th Oct., advising you that Mr. McGillivray had advised that the Mark Rogers Co. should be charged in these cases as they owned the liquor, to which Rogers agreed to plead 'guilty' and the liquor was to be handed back to him and be sent under escort to the boundary, he at the same time agreeing to stop bringing any more liquor by road through the Crow's Nest Pass. To this I agreed, provided the Attorney General approved and which he did."

(b) "With regard to the Matheson case, this was also Rogers' liquor and the agreement covered this as well."

(c) "After these cases were tried this liquor was sent to where it was consigned under escort to the boundary, as we agreed to do."

(d) "I do not think there is very much doubt about it, that, if these cases were appealed, the convictions would have been quashed by the Appellate Court."

24. I wrote to the Supt. under date of the 4th December, asking for some further explanation of his letter and particularly why Mr. McGillivray had advised the prosecution, why they had taken advice from him, in view of the fact that counsel for the prosecution had been advising and in view of the further fact that Mr. McGillivray was acting in the matter for Rogers & Company, Limited.

25. I wrote to Supt. Bryan again on the 11th Dec., not having received any answer to my letter of the 4th.

26. On the 12th Dec., the Supt. wrote me, saying that he had turned over my letter of the 11th to the Attorney General's Department for reply.

27. On the 14th Dec., I received a letter from you, from which I make the following quotations:

(a) "You are mistaken in assuming that the Department acted on the advice of Mr. McGillivray. On the contrary Mr. McGillivray was setting for Rogers and made application, first to the Commissioner of Police and then to myself, that in view of the fact that the Verberg case had just been decided, Rogers should plead guilty, pay his fine, but on his undertaking to run no more liquor through the Pass by auto we would not insist on confiscating the liquor, the right to do so, which was open to question, but that it should be escorted to the boundary. This arrangement I finally consented to."

(b) "I was not informed that any Crown prosecutor was acting. Otherwise I would have informed you of my decision."

28. I wrote to you on Dec. 30th, 1922, asking you for further information and explanations and have received your reply of the 9th inst., which does not attempt to give any explanation of the facts set out in my letter of the 30th Dec., or to answer any of the questions therein contained.

29. The load of liquor referred to in Insp. Bavin's letter to me (9-a) was a load taken by Sergt. Caswell, of Macleod, about three miles west of Macleod. It had been driven by one Matheson and was upset, Matheson being injured.

30. When Caswell saw Matheson

Matheson handed him some papers purported to be a customs export entry and a shipping bill.

31. These showed that the liquor on the load consisted of 40 cases of Scotch Whiskey, containing 80 gallons, valued at \$1,650.00, shipped from Fernie Exporters, Ltd., to A. Hoesler, of Great Falls, Mont., consigned care of J. Wilson.

32. Sergt. Caswell came to my office and asked copies of these papers made, doing so, because he said he had been offered \$500.00 for them by Rogers.

33. Sergt. Caswell was dismissed from the A.P.P. about Oct. 1st, and then went to Edmonton to lay the case before the Supt. of Police and yourself. He seems to be well satisfied with what happened in Edmonton.

34. This case was not proceeded with at all and the liquor was included in the liquor handed back to M. C. Rogers. It had been in the A.P.P. detachment here for some time.

35. M. C. Rogers car, with Rogers driving it, took the police from Lethbridge to Frank on the night Const. Lawson was killed and it was his car with himself at the wheel that took Piccadillo back to Lethbridge on the evening of the 22nd of September.

Why did Mr. McGillivray advise the prosecution? Why did the Department take his advice when counsel had already been retained; and particularly when he was in the employ of and retained by Mr. Rogers? The letter of Supt. Bryan (23-a) plainly shows what his advice was and subsequent developments in the case showed that his advice was acted upon, although your letter (27-a) indicates that he made an application to you undoubtedly to have the case disposed of as it was afterwards disposed of.

You heard the application and agreed to grant it. In other words you were apparently willing to compromise this offence. For what reason? Was the advice tendered to the Department given under the guise of an application made to you? What right do you think you had to the Courts in the determination of the question at issue? Why was the application to you granted without a hearing from the other side, particularly when the matters were in issue?

Can you conceive of any reason why Supt. Bryan should write me on the 7th Oct., four days after the cases were finally disposed of, telling me of the advice given by Mr. McGillivray (23-a)?

He knew perfectly well that I had been retained, and that I had advised in the matter, and Asst. Supt. Nicholson knew that I had no intention of lying down on the prosecution.

Why did you think there was any doubt about the right of confiscation? Is not the Alberta Liquor Act plain enough on that point? I never did any doubt of such right. Do you not think that it was because I refused to accede to the requests of the defence that an application was made to you?

You say (27-a) that in view of the Verberg case, Rogers should plead guilty. The Verberg case as you know was decided under a Canada Temperance Act charge. What had that to do with these charges which were proceeded with under the Alberta Liquor Act? It would seem to me that if the Verberg case had been kept properly in view there would have been more convictions under the Canada Temperance Act as well. The cases are almost exactly similar. Why were the charges under the Canada Temperance Act not proceeded with?

You should know that under the Canada Temperance Act the carrier of liquor has the privilege of carrying only by rail or water and that a carrier's license can under the Act confer the privilege of conveying only in those ways and not by auto. Rogers could not possibly have a license to carry liquor by auto. Why then were the charges under the Canada Temperance Act dropped?

With reference to the load picked up by Sergt. Caswell (9-a) a few miles west of Macleod, why was not a charge with reference to this offence proceeded with? Why should this load of liquor, consisting of 40 cases of Scotch Whiskey, valued for export purposes at \$1,650.00, be hand-

ed back to Rogers (23-a)? Where are the original papers for which Sergt. Caswell says he was offered \$500.00 by Rogers? And where are the original papers which were in the hands of Mr. Lawson, having reference to Mr. Belecky and Walker cases?

You say (27-a) and Supt. Bryan says (23-d) that the liquor was handed back to Rogers and escorted TO the boundary according to Supt. Bryan and OVER the boundary according to you.

Note that the Belecky and Walker loads were billed to Havre, Mont., and the Matheson load which was included in the "Contract" was billed to Great Falls, Mont. It was to be sent to where it was consigned. Why the police escort to the boundary? It could have been for one of two purposes only. Was it to prevent "high-jacking" of the liquor and so intended to be a protective measure adopted in the interests of Rogers? If so, he must have enjoyed a most unusual position in the hearts of the law enforcement authorities. Or was it to be sure that the liquor was not stripped of its tags upon reaching Lethbridge and consigned there to the care of the King's Exporting House? If this is the case, it would appear a most unusual thing that Rogers was not entrusted to do this without police escort when apparently he was trusted to do so.

Under the laws of the United States the Federal Statutes make it a criminal offence to bring liquor into the United States by auto or otherwise unless it is declared at the Customs office. Thereafter it is unlawful to transport liquor in the United States. Also under the State law of Montana it is unlawful to transport liquor, so that the fact that the shipments were to be made to Havre and to Great Falls would make the shipments clearly unlawful under the United States law. The Provincial Police force were therefore made parties to furthering this unlawful purpose.

Your letter (27-a) seems to assume that Rogers would plead guilty to the charge if changed from Walker to himself. Then why was Rogers not charged? The charge was laid and the conviction registered against "Rogers & Co., Ltd." Was this so as to be sure that the conviction would not be registered against M. C. Rogers personally?

And what about a second conviction as against an incorporated company? Mr. Rogers was evidently making certain that there would not be a chance for second or third convictions against him.

You say that there were serious doubts about the right of confiscation of the liquor. The law has not changed since the Walker and Belecky cases. Do you think there is doubt about it? If so, do you not think an amendment to the Alberta Liquor Act is about due? It has not appeared that there was doubt in any case other than the cases Rogers was concerned with. Why do you then get a promise from Rogers not to bring any more liquor by auto through the Pass if there was doubt about his rights? Is there still a sufficiently strong doubt in your mind to warrant you in favorably entertaining an application similar to this one, not made by Mr. McGillivray or for Mr. Rogers? If so, you will probably be deluged with applications. A payment of \$300.00 is very very cheap for safe passage under police escort for three loads of liquor valued conservatively at \$5,000.00.

Is this a fair example of your zeal in enforcing the liquor law of the province? That the Alberta Liquor Act is a tyrannous law is pretty generally conceded, but its tyranny derives a special malignity from the fact that its harshness is offset in some cases so that the breaker of the law becomes merely a licensee.

I have no hesitation in saying that the administration of the liquor act is a farce so far as the southern part of the province is concerned and that its attempted or pretended enforcement is followed by great and growing evils. I say this as a zealous believer in temperance, but not in prohibition laws which do not prohibit and which only lend themselves to profiteering.

Yours very truly,
J. W. McDONALD.

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Germany Makes Protest To Great Britain Over French Action In Ruhr

London.—Germany, through Dr. St. Hamer, Ambassador to Great Britain, has formally protested Franco-Belgian action in the Ruhr. The German protest argues that the Franco-Belgian action is a threefold breach of the Versailles treaty. First, of the reparations commission of March 21, 1922, only permit a demand for payment in cash; second, the treaty permits no territorial sanctions whatever; and third, according to the treaty, reprisals against Germany are only possible if imposed by the Allies in union, not by a single power, on its own individual initiative.

The German Government protests the unheard of oppression, contrary to the treaty and international law, but says it does not intend to meet force by force, nor answer a breach of the treaty by disorganizing itself from the treaty. So long as conditions contrary to the treaty persist, Germany, it is declared, will not be in a position to make deliveries of coal and kind to those powers which brought about these conditions.

The first stage of the Franco-Belgian application of penalties to the defaulting Germany with regard to coal and timber was carried out when two divisions of Rhine troops moved to the task of protecting the control commission sent to the Ruhr, by the French, and Essen, and other points were occupied.

The operations were conducted without untoward incidents, the French commanders showing a disposition to avoid creating needless trouble. So far as the city of Essen was concerned, after formal entry and parade, all the troops, with the exception of about 300 placed in control of a few public buildings and the railway station, were withdrawn to the outskirts of the town.

Apparently there is no intention of calling a strike of the Ruhr miners, the German government contending itself with more or less passive resistance, a protest against the Franco-Belgian proceedings on the grounds that they take the shape of virtual repudiation of the Versailles treaty, and a cessation of efforts to pay the reparations.

Two Earthquakes Reported

Seismograph at Saskatoon Registered Second Waviness.

San Salvador.—Earth shocks have been felt in various parts of the country in the past few days. The seismograph station at the observatory here announced that the centre of the disturbance was about 70 miles from this city.

Saskatoon.—An earthquake of two hours' duration—the second within two days—was registered by the seismograph at the University of Saskatchewan, Jan. 3. The tremor started at 9:35 and ended at 11:52.

It occurred either in Mexico or South America, the University reported.

France Increases Taxes

Paris.—The French Government has decided to increase all direct taxes, except those on salaries, by twenty per cent, as a means of meeting the deficit in this year's budget.

U.F.M. Express Approval Of Dominion Convention Of Organized Farmers

Brandon, Man.—General approval of a "Dominion convention of the organized farmers" was expressed by a resolution of the United Farmers of Manitoba passed unanimously at their convention here, and the suggestion was sent along to the Canadian Council of Agriculture that that body undertake the necessary arrangements.

The convention did not undertake to say when such a gathering should be held, how it should be constituted, nor whether it should deal with all subjects, or if politics should be excluded. It was pointed out that the resolution was not inconsistent with the action taken by the Progressive members of Parliament at their Winnipeg conference looking towards a national convention.

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MURINE

BRITAIN LEADS IN SHIPBUILDING

HAS THREE TIMES TONNAGE OF OTHER NATIONS

New York.—Great Britain still has a big lead over the other nations of the world in shipbuilding, statistics issued by Lloyd's show. Germany is second in shipbuilding, followed by the United States, which is third.

The amount of work in all countries in which construction is actually proceeding is still well under 1914. Contracts for 164,000 tons of merchant vessels have been suspended.

Britain has nearly three times the tonnage on the ways as her nearest competitor. The United States comes sixth on the list. Canada's shipbuilding is not shown separately, but the British Dominions are credited with an increase of 13,000 tons over their 1914 figures.

West Exporting Turkeys

Prairie Provinces Becoming Keen Competitors of Eastern Canada

Toronto.—The centre of the turkey-raising business of Canada has shifted from Ontario to the western provinces, according to H. C. Kerwin, of the Crescent-Greymare, Limited, Winnipeg, before the Canadian Producers' Association. The west is now exporting nearly a hundred carloads of fowl each year, and he felt that the time has come when concerted effort must be made to get a wider market overseas.

E. M. Raney, of the Swift Canadian Company, urged better packing and grading. He threw out the warning that Ontario has to watch the market, as he put it, "If the west makes the same strides in poultry raising as in butter making, then the east will soon be no more than a speck on the map."

Turks Allow Greek Patriarch to Remain

Deprivation of Civil and Administrative Functions Is Condition

Lausanne.—Ismet Pasha informed the Near East conference that Turkey would agree to the Greek patriarch remaining in Constantinople on condition that he be deprived of all administrative and civil functions.

Agreements were also reached in principle on the restitution of civil hospitals, the exchange of prisoners and the disposition of the Greek and Turkish minorities.

Coast Ships Birds to New York

Vancouver.—A shipment of 50 Vancouver Island quail and other game birds was sent to Britain and other New York State ports, through arrangements with the British Columbia Game Conservation Board. The birds it is understood, will be used for breeding purposes.

Foch Will Tour Scotland

London.—Marshal Foch of France will make an extensive tour of Scotland in April.

In the discussion of various political resolutions there was casual talk of the "unfolding oil policy" and some remarks from Robert Forke M.P., the new Progressive leader.

"I am as democratic as any man," said Mr. Forke, "and I want this movement to come from the people. We want to see some sort of a national organization if we are to get anywhere." He thought that perhaps they were "running democracy to earth."

Mr. Forke told the delegates that "they were afraid of the word 'unity'."

Progressive members at Ottawa had criticised just like the old parties, and without it they could do nothing effective. There was no connection, he said, between himself and his fellow representatives except that they were all Progressives.

"While 'we' is no coordinating agency," he said, as the constituency commissions had control of the nomination of candidates and of the funds, no central organization could take away their democratic control of the situation.

WESTERN EDITORS

Ed. Holmes, Editor and Proprietor of The Progress, Dunfermlie, Manitoba

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INTEREST ADDS TO DEBT

REVENUE FOR DOMINION INCREASES, BUT DEBT ALSO GROWS

Ottawa.—Revenues of the Dominion continue to show an increase over last year. Figures made public by the Department of Finance show an increase in the revenue of 1917-18 for the month of December as compared with the same month in 1921. The total revenue last month was \$25,522,565 as compared with \$25,543,328 in December, 1921. The total revenue for the nine months of the fiscal year ending on December 31, 1922 was \$200,174,660, or an increase of \$5,903,411 of the revenue for the nine months period in 1921 which was \$194,271,249.

In spite of the satisfactory revenues, the total net debt of the Dominion increased \$20,469,225 during December and now stands at \$2,412,496,151.

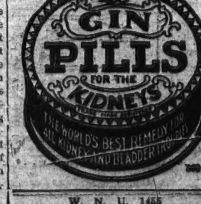
This increase is due largely to heavy interest payments on the debt falling due in December. As a result of these payments expense for the month increased by \$1,845,383 over the figures of last year.

Conditions Becoming Normal

Eastern Financier Says Crop Has Greatly Improved Situation

Toronto.—Much cheering and encouraging information upon the condition of the western farmer at the close of the latest crop season was contained in the address of J. P. Weston, Managing Director Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada at the annual meeting. Mr. Weston estimated that the year's crop, notwithstanding the disappointingly small margin between the prices realized and the cost of production, had improved the situation materially. Another good crop, with a possible improvement in cattle prices, he declared would go a long way toward returning conditions in the west to a normal basis.

He illustrated the confidence of fiscal institutions in the prairie country by reviewing investments of insurance, loans and trust companies in these provinces.



W. N. U. 1455

GERMAN AMBASSADOR RECALLED FROM PARIS

REIMSTATE ANNOUNCES BREAK IN OFFICIAL RELATIONS BETWEEN COUNTRIES

Berlin.—Germany has recalled her ambassador at Paris, and action is construed in official circles as portending war or a state bordering upon war. This move, breaking all official and diplomatic relations between the two countries, was announced by the Reichstag.

Washington.—Withdrawal of the United States troops from the Rhine has been ordered by President Harding.

In announcing the decision, the State Department said the President deemed the time expedient for the recall of the forces now at Coblenz. The United States forces remaining in that area number about 1,900 men, and it was indicated that the withdrawal order would be carried out as soon as the United States commander, Major-General Allen, could make the necessary arrangements for sending up finally the affairs of the army of occupation.

KING CONSTANTINE DEAD

HAS BEEN EXILE IN ITALY SINCE ABDICATING THRONE

Palermo, Italy.—Throning Constantine of Greece died suddenly here Jan. 31. His death was due to cerebral hemorrhage.

The death of King Constantine of Greece comes after a series of trying experiences which the former ruler of the Hellenes has undergone, beginning with the outbreak of the Great War.

Constantine was forced off the throne of Greece by the Allies in 1917 after he had successfully resisted numerous attempts to bring Greece into the war on the side of the Allies. In exile until after the war's close, Constantine was called back to Greece in 1920 and resumed the throne. Under his renewed reign Greece plunged into the war with Turkey in Asia Minor, Constantine personally going to the front at one period of the campaign. Last fall came the disaster to the Greek forces in Asia Minor, speedily followed by the revolution in Greece which again sent Constantine into exile. He abdicated and retired to Italy and has been making his home recently at Palermo.

For three of these years he was an exile in Switzerland, having been forced to abdicate by the Allies, owing to his pro-German attitude during the war.

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Turks Charged With Treason

Three Arrested in Rome Charged With Plotting Against Italy

London.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Rome says Omar Pascha, his son Fethy and his brother Mamas, were arrested in a hotel in the Italian capital, where they were living in luxury. The Turks are charged with espionage and treason, and will be taken to the military jail at Bologna, Italy, with Africa.

The dispatch adds that the intelligence service discovered that Omar Pascha plotted against Italy, with the complicity of emissaries of the Socialist tribesmen, while he was holding office as ambassador to the Italian government of Italian Libya.

Premier King Rejoices In Canada's Part In Signing League Covenant

BRITISH NOT LIKELY TO CHANGE POLICY

DIFFERENCES WITH FRANCE WILL NOT AFFECT ENTENTE CORDIALE

London.—The British Cabinet went into session to consider the most important issues that have arisen since Mr. Bonar Law assumed the premiership, but it is authoritatively stated that the results of the meeting are not likely to alter the semi-officially announced British policy in dealing with France over the present Rhine-Ruhr situation.

The Cabinet, it is understood, will confirm Great Britain's desire to maintain the Entente Cordiale, despite the present differences with France over the methods of obtaining reparations from Germany.

Official notification of withdrawal of the United States forces from the Rhine have been received at the Foreign Office and laid before the ministers in Downing Street, but the British policy of maintaining troops in the Rhineland is not expected to be changed by the United States action. The British military at Cologne, it is pointed out, are doing everything possible to assist the French forces in carrying out Premier Poincaré's plans.

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Revolt In East Prussia

Washington.—A revolt has taken place in the whole of Mount Bielitz of East Prussia, the citizens demanding that the territory be made a part of Lithuania, according to a telegram to the Lithuanian legation here from its Government at Kovno.

Men Trapped In Silesian Mine

Berlin.—Forty-five miners were trapped by an explosion of a gasoline engine in a coal mine near Hindenburg, Upper Silesia. It is feared they all have perished.

President Ebert Refers To Policy Of Force Adopted By France

Berlin.—In a manifesto, President Ebert exhorts the inhabitants of the Ruhr Valley to remain calm, "despite the continuation of French injustices and force, which constitutes a breach of the Versailles treaty committed against a disarmed and defenceless nation."

"The policy of force which has violated treaties and trampled the rights of humanity now threaten the key district of the German economic world," says the manifesto.

"The execution of the peace treaty thus becomes an absolute impossibility, and at the same time, the living conditions of the suffering German nation are disrupted."

"Germany was ready to fulfill all the obligations within her power. She has now been attacked without being given a hearing. We lay this act of force before the forum of Europe and the entire world."

Wilhelm Cuno, the Chancellor, said force remains force, whatever its guise. The Chancellor added that Germany would regard the application of arbitrary force as a breach of the Versailles peace treaty and as "the use of might against a defenceless people."

"We have given tangible proof of our readiness voluntarily to fulfill to the extent of our ability, the demands upon us. If men in the German people will show equal firmness in further following the path of its affliction."

"There can be no negotiations in an atmosphere of pressure and threats; we cannot oppose violence with violence."

"We are determined, however—"

U.S. Ambassador to England

Washington.—George Harvey will return to the court of St. James as American ambassador to Great Britain, after his conferences here are ended. It was announced officially at the State House. Reports have been current that Harvey might remain in this country.

Volcano Subsides

Anchorage, Alaska.—Reports received here from the Aleutian Peninsula indicate that the eruption from Mount Pavlov, Alaska's newest volcano, is subsiding but the mountain is still emitting dense smoke and gases.

Vancouver Editor Honored

Vancouver.—A handsome presentation from the staff of the Vancouver World has been made to R. S. Somerville, on the occasion of his retirement after eight years' service as managing editor of that paper.

MRS. BUDGE SOWEAK COULD HARDLY STAND

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health

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Local and General Items

Some people are always in doubt and never get out.

There is something poignantly touching about a fat man's condemnation of dancing.

Judge McDonald is conducting a special sitting of the small debt court here today.

Mrs. Link and children are due to arrive this week end from London, Ontario.

A movement is afoot towards the organization of a lodge of the Knights of Pythias in Blairmore.

A successful whist drive was held at the Greenhill Grill on Tuesday night under the auspices of the local chapter of the I. O. D. E.

Mrs. Peter Patterson went to Calgary on Thursday night last, where she is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Verge.

Elizabeth Rae Dean, who slew her husband last October at Drumheller, has been sentenced to serve three years in Prince Albert penitentiary.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Town of Blairmore and Blairmore School District 628 will be held on the evening of Monday, January 29th.

The opening of the legislature will take place on Tuesday, January 23. From present indications it is not expected that the session will be a lengthy one. The first bill of the session was filed with the clerk of the house last week, being a private bill to incorporate the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts.

Vice-President William Ryan, of District 18, U. M. W. of A., with two of his followers, have been committed for trial on a charge of rioting at the Bush mine on January 4th. Sergt. Major Harrison and several constables of the A. P. P., stated that Ryan, in an auto, headed the parade of strikers to the mine and then placed himself at the head of the column which rushed the gates of the property, injuring three or four of the police in the ensuing melee.

Cowley Happenings

Miss Ida Jones has accepted the position of teacher of the Tennessee school, which opened on the 15th.

At a recent school meeting held here, Mr. Irwin was elected to serve on the school board as a trustee.

There were eighteen people from here went to Lundbreck on the local passenger train on Wednesday to attend the whist drive there.

On Friday evening several Cowleyites boarded the local, some getting off at Lundbreck to skate on the new rink, others going on to Bellevue to witness the hockey game.

Major Wallace Sharpe, we regret to say, died at his home near Lundbreck on Friday morning last, after an illness of a few weeks. Interment took place at the Cowley cemetery on Sunday afternoon. Floral offerings were many. Wallace was well and favorably known here. He was raised to manhood in this country and had the respect and good wishes of all his friends and acquaintances. He enlisted in the Great War and was one of the first to go to serve his country. He proved to be an apt and able soldier and soon rose to the rank of major. He was severely wounded and unflinchingly stood several operations. The community joins in sympathy for the bereaved ones.

Bill Cameron has been elected mayor of Cranbrook.

Mike Murphy is now conductor pro tem of the local passenger train.

Pork Loins, whole at 32c; Legs, whole, at 25c; Shoulders, whole at 20c per lb. at P. Burns & Co., Ltd.

Harold Fisher, employed by a Regina legal firm, is under arrest, charged with stealing trust funds.

No doubt surprise attended the results of the election in Calgary on Monday, but locally congratulations to W. M. Davidson are lavished.

Since receiving his commission as justice of the peace, Mayor McLeod presided over his first cases last week, when several parties were dealt with for infractions of the town by-laws.

Mr. Johnson, official auditor for the town of Blairmore, is busy this week with the town's books and affairs covering the year 1922. In due course the annual financial statement and audit report will appear in these columns.

W. M. Davidson, editor of the Calgary Alberta, was elected to the provincial legislature for Calgary to replace the late "Red" Edwards, with a majority of 1031 over his opponent, Solicitor Ford.

We regret to learn that Mr. Paul Thibodeau, janitor of the public school, is seriously ill at the local hospital with an attack of appendicitis. He was operated upon during the afternoon yesterday and we understand rested easily during the night.

Mr. Rendall and his son Alfred arrived in Blairmore Saturday last, direct from the old home in Green Bay, Newfound land. Mr. Rendall is staying with his brother-in-law, James Warner, at present, but hopes eventually to move his family out from the old dominion.

Bellevue is not receiving very many tokens of praise for the avalanche of scores they handed out to the Pincher Creek hockey team. One thing can and will be said of the Pincher boys—they are the best bunch of real sports in the Crow League, and any team that can play a losing game and stay with it deserves both sympathy and support. We have no doubt but that Doc Barbour's sympathies are with the losers in this instance.

Jack North and E. Erkala had a narrow escape from death when a fall of cap rock almost completely buried them in No. 3 Greenhill mine on Saturday last. North was the most seriously hurt, but is progressing under the care of Dr. Oliver.

Univalued Products—Shamrock Hams, whole, 35c per lb. Shamrock Bacon, whole 46c per lb. Dominion Hams, whole 32c per lb. Dominion Bacon, whole, 42c per lb. Saturday only at P. Burns & Co., Ltd.

The Scotch curlers have reached Montreal, where they are meeting a cordial reception. Maybe with little inducement we could get them to come further west and visit the next best city—Blairmore—when we could have the pleasure of introducing them to such modified Scots as O'Neill, Swan and Conway. They're all Scotch of the pure Monkey Brand from the top of the tassel to the crown of their heads.

The new Sargent building has been completed and is now occupied. The east half is occupied by E. Lombardi as a cigar and confectionery store, while the west half is occupied as an office by Messrs. Kubik & Kubasek, flour and feed merchants. The new building is of fireproof construction and has a fine appearance.

REVISED SCHEDULE OF CROWS' BLAIRMORE CONTINUES

NEST PASS HOCKEY LEAGUE
Jan. 19—Blairmore at Bellevue.
Jan. 19—Pincher at Taber.
Jan. 22—Bellevue at Lethbridge.
Jan. 23—Coleman at Blairmore.
Jan. 24—Taber at Pincher.
Jan. 26—Lethbridge at Coleman.
Jan. 26—BLAIRMORE at Taber.
Jan. 29—Taber at Bellevue.
Jan. 29—Coleman at Pincher.
Feb. 1—Bellevue at BLAIRMORE.
Feb. 2—Pincher at Coleman.
Feb. 2—Lethbridge at Taber.
Feb. 5—Bellevue at Pincher.
Feb. 6—BLAIRMORE at Coleman.
Feb. 6—Taber at Lethbridge.
Feb. 9—Coleman at Taber.
Feb. 9—Lethbridge at Bellevue.
Feb. 12—Pincher at BLAIRMORE.
Feb. 14—BLAIRMORE at Lethbridge.

BLAIRMORE HAS FIRE

EARLY THIS MORNING

At an early hour this morning, the fire department was summoned to a fire which was discovered in the rear of Doratty's tailor shop on Victoria Street. Owing to the extreme cold of the morning, it was some little time before the water was got to play on the flames, which soon spread to the Link barber shop on the west and the Seyan building, occupied by Ralph Fazio, on the east, all of which were reduced to ruins in a short time, thus removing another of the very few firetraps remaining on Victoria Street.

The building occupied by 250 Link barber shop and Doratty's tailor shop belonged to Michel Ross, of Vancouver. Most of the barber's furniture, tools, etc., were gotten out before fire had secured very much hold on this portion of the building; but the tailor shop next door went down with all its contents, including, besides tailors' tools and equipment a large number of suits and garments that were undergoing cleaning and repairing, as well as a number of new tailored suits ready for delivery. The loss to Mr. Doratty is a serious one, as he carried but little insurance.

Fazio's grocery and confectionery store was soon reduced. Most of the contents were saved. The building belonged to H. Seyan and we understand was partially covered by insurance.

HILLCREST CURLERS

ARE CHAMPIONS

The laugh is really on a bunch of Blairmore curlers who entered the fray at Hillcrest last week, the contest being for the famous Burns' cup. Of course, it took Hillcrest team most of their time to figure out ways and means of beating Blairmore to it; but this they did eventually and only left the visitors to look like waiters away from home. Magenzie, of the locals, went down before Percy Salt as skipper for Hillcrest. Percy says the reason he defeated Mackenzie was because Mac was too fresh. When Cruickshanks and McLeod locked horns, all bald-headed bushes were swaying and it looked at times as though a swamp was in store for McLeod. But Mac spurred up and with a few hair raisers gave Cruickshanks a real run for his money. Mac won by just one point, which was not sufficient to overcome the two-point lead of the home team. The mug, therefore, stays in the dry (?) town of Hillcrest.

Pincher Creek plays Hillcrest on Saturday next for the same cup.

APPROVE POLICY AGAINST STRIKE

The announcement by President Sherman of District 18, U. M. W. of A., that he made in Calgary Saturday, that there would be no sympathetic strike called in behalf of their striking brother miners in Edmonton, met with general favor among the men in the Lethbridge and Crows' Nest fields. The men are anxious to stay at work after the long strike last summer, and the announcement Saturday, received officially by mine union officials, was received with some relief, as the situation has been tense for a week past.

"The situation in Edmonton according to the advice received by us," said a union official this morning, "is quiet. We are not anticipating any further trouble in the field. The outlook for a settlement is light changed with the men as determined as ever to fight to a finish."

THEIR WINNING STREAK

The local hockey team won their third league game at the arena on Monday night last at the expense of the Taber Majestics, the score being 5-4. The game was one of the best witnessed here this season and the teams were very evenly matched. The ice was a little on the soft side and seemed to slow up the game at times. Blairmore did not miss many of the chances which popped up, but



Chapman, Taber's 210-lb defense man nearly made a hole in the fence once when he lost his feet.

Taber, on the other hand missed easy ones and Ennis managed the majority of the hard ones, which seemed to take the pep out of the visitors.

It took Renikka and Pruden eight minutes to register the first goal of the game and it was a nice piece of play. And two minutes after that Turner went up on a lone rush and Astor got quite a surprise when the goal judge paved the air to give the crowded rink news of another tally. Play had been waxing back and forth during this period, the most of it being around the Taber net. Ennis blocked everything in this period al-



Aston was padded up like a stone wall and nearly filled the whole goal.

so, which ended 2-0 in favor of Blairmore.

In the second period Aston was impenetrable and turned aside everything that came his way, and beating Turner on a sure goal when he got right through the defense. Play had been in progress five and a half minutes of this period before Taber located the net. Elliott beat Ennis with a sliding shot which went between the feet of the defense and Ennis had no chance to save it. Both teams were working hard but no more scoring was done in this period which ended with furious back-checking by both teams and the score 2 to 1 in favor of Blairmore.

The ice was very poor in the last period but the Taber boys speeded up



The ice was rather slow in the last period and consequently the rubber was very elusive.

despite this. Connolly was injured in stopping Mackie and carried off the

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ice, but he returned in a few minutes and scored unassisted. Then Pruden and Renikka got one each on lone rushes, and Mackie got the nicest one of the evening when he took the puck from a scrimmage in front of the local's net and went through for Blairmore's fifth. This made the score 5 to 2, but Taber were not to be de-



Referee Clark had a job on his hands when LeVasseur and Pelletier started a near riot.

nied and Connolly and Chapman each scored unassisted.

In this period LeVasseur and Pelletier staged a fight and were banished from the ice for the remainder of the game.

Tommy Clark, of Hillcrest, refereed the game and while a lot of his decisions did not meet with the approval of the fans, he undoubtedly did the best he could.

The line up:

	Goal	Ennis
Aston	Defense	Turner
Pelletier		Pruden
Chapman	Forwards	
Connolly		Mackie
Elliott		Renikka
Scott		LeVasseur
Carleton		Goddard
Douglas		Vejprava
Malo		Harvey

Team	P	W	L	F	A	P.C.
Blairmore	3	3	0	25	10	1,000
Bellevue	4	3	1	23	6	750
Coleman	3	2	1	11	8	666
Lethbridge	3	2	1	14	11	500
Pincher	3	0	3	3		000
Taber	3	0	3	11	17	000

OKOTOKS HOCKEY TEAM IN BAD GRACES OF A.A.H.A.

The Okotoks hockey team, last season's provincial intermediate champions, are in the bad graces of the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association as a result of playing an exhibition match with the Calgary Hustlers on January 5th. The Hustlers made arrangements to stage the match at Okotoks and took with them "Dodger" Lewis, professional baseball player, and one Mowatt, who is on the black list of the Association. A large number of fans turned out to witness the game and whether the Okotoks

boys were ignorant of the two above players' standing, or decided to play to please their home fans is not yet known.

L. L. Morgan, of the Association executive, stated today to The Enterprise that he thought that probably the Okotoks team would be suspended for two weeks or so, and the Calgary players who participated in the game for the remainder of the season, but as yet he had heard nothing definite on the matter.

SPORT NOTES

The Calgary Tigers suffered three defeats at the coast and the score in each case was 4 to 0. Binney, their star goalie, was put out of the game in Seattle when he collided with another player and Bill Scott filled his position at Victoria and Reid reached Vancouver in time to participate in the game against the Maroons.

Well, well! Coleman trims up Bellevue at home and then Bellevue turns the tables on Coleman. Revenge is sweet, and it's all the sweeter when it takes place on the Crystals' home ice.

Bellevue played the game under protest—poor ice. The protest will likely be withdrawn now.

Connolly, Taber centre man, pulled an old one the other night when he let them carry him off the ice. He got his hind back in about two minutes and when he returned he was in better shape than before.

When Tommy Clark has charge of the bell he's like a kid with a new toy—he just rings it to hear the noise. He checked them pretty close at times on Monday night and erred also on several occasions, but it's a bum referee who can't please everybody.

Bellevue, Coleman and other Pass burgers were out in full force Monday night rooting for Taber. And without mentioning any names, a certain Blairmore business man wasted a lot of superfluous energy rooting in the same direction. He's to be excused though, for if you look at the line-up you will see a name similar to his own.

Bellevue Bearcats will entertain the Blairmoreites tomorrow night. It's not a murmur in the ranks! And that Bellevue rink will be covered with about umpteenth feet of snow.

Coleman Crystals play here on next Tuesday night. Well, here's hoping, anyway.

The game at Coleman on Tuesday night was reported to have been very tough with the Coleman boys getting considerable the worst of the bargain.

M. D. Blackford, of Lethbridge won first prize at the Edmonton show with his White Leghorn cock.